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LANDIS TO COUNSEL THE WORLD SERIES CONTENDERS

New York, Oct. 2.—Judge K. M. Landis, high commissioner of baseball, announced tonight that he would meet the Giant and Yankee players tomorrow and have a last word with them prior to the world series, which opens Wednesday. While he did not indicate what the subject of this talk would be, it is generally believed that he will urge them to so conduct themselves that the series will stand as a credit to themselves and to the game.

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TWO DIE IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 2.—William Shane of Paterson, a lawyer, and Miss Irene Cavanaugh of Brooklyn were killed early today in an automobile accident in which four other occupants of the car were seriously injured. Charles J. Lawler, the driver, who was taken to a hospital with the other injured, was arrested on a charge of manslaughter. He told the police the glaring headlights of a machine coming in the opposite direction blinded him near a sharp turn in the road.

TWO WOMEN KILLED, MEN INJURED, NEAR ALBANY

Albany, Oct. 2.—Mrs. Bertha Davis and Mrs. Margaret Ackerman, both of Albany, were killed instantly and August Shock and William Schram, also of this city, injured, when Shock's automobile, in which they were riding, was struck by a West Shore train near here late tonight.

TIGER' CALLS FOR JUSTICE

"Remember" Is Keynote of Clemenceau's Address at Unveiling of War Monument

DEPLORES WEAKNESS

Former Premier Reminds Audience That France Renounces Nothing of What Is Due Her

(By the Associated Press)

Sainte Hermine, France, Oct. 2.—George Clemenceau, France's war premier, at the unveiling of a monument depicting him in his well-known slouch hat and surrounded by Polish soldiers in the trenches, today delivered what some observers consider to be his valedictory to French public life. Others, however, consider it as interpreting the "Tiger's" re-entrance into the active political arena of France.

The monument was erected by the people of Clemenceau's native department of Vendee in honor of the former premier's activities during the war.

"Let us remember," said Clemenceau, "and let us keep from substituting by vain words the acts which are expected of the country. Let us remember France's motto, 'Live in the peace of justice, or perish.'

"Remember" was the keynote of M. Clemenceau's speech throughout.

TROUBLE IN ENTENTE

"Victory," he continued, "was a victory by all the allies. But as soon as the enemy was disengaged the trouble commenced in the Entente. At Versailles we bended Germany's knee. Why has she been permitted to forget it? We hold her signature undertakings which count no longer. Yesterday we were the victors



BASEBALL

NEWS FROM THE SPORTING WORLD



NATIONAL LEAGUE

GIANTS LOSE FINAL TO ROBINS.

Brooklyn Only Team to Win Year's Series From the 1921 Champions, Brooklyn, Oct. 2.—Brooklyn won its closing game of the season today from New York, 7 to 4. Grimes of the Robins registered his 22nd victory. Brooklyn won 12 of the 22 games played this season with the Giants and was the only team to win the year's series from the 1921 champions. After New York tied the score in the fifth inning, Manager McGraw started using substitutes, 20 Giants in all participating in the contest.

R H E

New York . 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 — 4 13 5
Brooklyn . 0 4 0 1 2 1 0 0 x — 7 8 2

Batteries—Neft, Shu, Ryan and Smith; Gaston; Grimes and Miller.

IT WAS QUITE A WIND-UP.

Chicago Closes Season With Double Victory Over Cincinnati Reds.

Cincinnati, Oct. 2.—Chicago wound up the season here today by taking two games from Cincinnati, 7 to 5 and 7 to 0. The first game went 12 innings, the Cubs winning out by a sharp rally. Darkness stopped the second game after five innings.

Score, first game:

Chicago . 0 0 0 3 0 1 1 0 0 0 2 — 7 14 2

Cincinnati . 0 0 0 1 1 0 2 1 0 0 0 — 5 11 1

Batteries—Freeman, Jones and O'Farrell; Rixey, Markle and Hargrave.

Second game:

Chicago 0 0 7 0 0 — 7 7 0

Cincinnati 0 0 0 0 0 — 0 4 2

Batteries—Cheeves, York and O'Farrell; Clark and Douglas.

COOPER HEAVES MUD BALL.

Defeats Cardinals in Season's Tail-Ender; 4 to 3.

St. Louis, Oct. 2.—Cooper heaved a mud ball in the closing game of the season here today and defeated the Cardinals, 4 to 3, on a water-soaked field. Perica was easy in the opener, giving away to Bailey, who was succeeded by North. A steady rain fell throughout the game.

Pittsburgh . 2 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 — 4 10 1

St. Louis . 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 — 3 11 0

Batteries—Cooper and Schmidt; Perica, Bailey, North and Clement.

Other teams not scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BABE NEARLY GOT 60.

Bambino Brings Season Total to 59, and Yankees Defeat Boston.

New York, Oct. 2.—The New York Americans today defeated Boston, 7 to 6, in the final game of the league season. A two-run rally in the ninth gave the Yankees the victory. Peckinpah's double scoring Devormer and Miller. Ruth brought his home run total for the season to 59 in the third inning with Miller and Peckinpah on base.

R H E

Boston . . . 0 0 0 2 3 0 0 1 0 — 6 9 0

New York . . . 0 2 3 0 0 0 0 0 2 — 7 10 3

Batteries—Fullerton and Chaplin; Shawkey, W. Collins, Piercy and Devormer.

ST. LOUIS BEATS DETROIT AND HOLDS THIRD POSITION

Detroit, Oct. 2.—St. Louis won third place in the American league today by defeating Detroit in the final game of the season, 12 to 3.

St. Louis . 2 0 0 2 1 2 2 1 2 — 12 15 0

Detroit . . . 0 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 0 — 3 11 2

Batteries—Davis and Severdell; Cole and Woodall.

CHICAGO SCORES 7 TO 4 VICTORY OVER CLEVELAND

Chicago, Oct. 2.—The American league season was brought to a close here today with Chicago scoring a 7 to 4 victory over Cleveland.

Cleveland . 0 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 — 4 6 1

Chicago . . . 0 5 0 1 0 0 1 x — 7 8 1

Batteries—Henderson, Maile and L. Sewell; Wilkinson, McWeeney and Schalk, Yaryan.

WASHINGTON EASILY TRIMS ATHLETICS IN 1921 FINAL

Washington, Oct. 2.—Washington easily defeated Philadelphia in the final game of the season here today, 11 to 6.

Philadelphia . 0 0 0 0 1 3 2 0 — 6 9 3

Washington . 3 0 3 0 0 3 2 0 x — 11 8 1

Batteries—Moore, Keefe and J. Walker; Johnson and Pritch.

Seasoned man won \$3 per cord delivered. Phone 1048-J or 178-J. Adv. if

They Know Who'll Win Series



Both these boys have the inside dope on who will win the world's baseball championship. Tommy McGuire, left, has proof that the Giants will win. But he can't convince Eddie Bennett. Tommy mascot for the Giants and Eddie is the human talisman for the Yanks.

NOTHING MORE UNCERTAIN THAN PINCH-HITTER IN BIG CONTESTS



Manager Wilbert Robinson of the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Putting pinch-hitters into world series games is a big gamble, says Wilbert Robinson. It's easy to make a big mistake. He says:

"The manager can pull bones in a series as well as his players, but he is quite often blamed for things that aren't his fault. This is particularly true of the pinch-hitter. Nothing is more uncertain than a pinch-hitter, and yet, he is called an able strategist. If the pinch-hitter strikes out or pops up, the manager has pulled a bone. It's the same old story of the second guess. What succeeds is right. What fails is a blunder. During the season a manager can sometimes juggle his pitching staff, conceding a few defeats here and there in order to win the greatest number of games over the stretch, but in a short series every game is so important that you must fight until the last man is out. Good breaks on sending in pinch-hitters mean a lot in world series games."

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

National League.
Philadelphia, 10; New York, 8 (st).
New York, 3; Philadelphia, 0 (2d).
Brooklyn, 7; Boston, 6.
Cincinnati, 5; Chicago, 2.
Pittsburgh, 4; St. Louis, 4 (9 ins., rain).

American League.

New York, 6; Philadelphia, 3 (1st).
New York, 7; Philadelphia, 6 (11 ins., 2d).
Chicago, 8; Cleveland, 5.
St. Louis, 11; Detroit, 6 (11 ins.).
Washington, 2; Boston, 2 (1st).
Washington, 6; Boston, 1 (2d).

THE FINAL STANDINGS

National League.
W. L. Pet.
New York . . . 94 59 .614
Pittsburgh . . . 90 68 .558
St. Louis . . . 87 66 .569
Boston . . . 79 74 .516
Brooklyn . . . 70 83 .488
Chicago . . . 64 89 .418
Philadelphia . . . 51 103 .321

American League.
W. L. Pet.
New York . . . 98 56 .641
Cleveland . . . 94 60 .610
St. Louis . . . 81 73 .527
Washington . . . 80 74 .521
Boston . . . 75 78 .487
Detroit . . . 71 82 .464
Chicago . . . 62 82 .403
Philadelphia . . . 53 100 .346

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus, 9; St. Paul, 1. (1st).
Columbus, 9; St. Paul, 8. (2nd).
Indianapolis, 9; Kansas City, 3. (1st).
Indianapolis, 5; Kansas City, 2. (2nd).
Toledo, 5; Minneapolis, 11. (1st).
Toledo, 2; Minneapolis, 8. (2nd).
Louisville, 5; Milwaukee, 2. (1st).
Louisville, 3; Milwaukee, 9. (2nd).

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

CLOSES GREAT SEASON

Chicago, Oct. 2.—The American Association today closed what is declared by President Hickey to have been the most successful year in its history, not only from the club owners' standpoint but from the public view. Louisville won the pennant in one of the closest races in many years, every club having a chance at one time or another to be the first placer or finisher.

INTERESTING SPORT NOTES

Tennis seems to be in a fair way to build up an internationalism of its own.

Great Britain won the international six-metre yacht races at Cowes, Isle of Wight, England.

Fowler V. Harper of Ada, Okla., has been named athletic director of Washington college. He succeeds Henry B. Bogue, resigned.

Athletic officials of West Virginia university are considering the advisability of establishing the freshman rate for athletic competition.

Richard C. Harlow, coach of the Lehigh university football and baseball teams, has requested the Athletic association to release him from his contract.

Capt. Eddie Ewen, end, and Moore, guard, of last year's Naval academy football team, are expected to join Coach Bob Folwell's staff as assistants for the coming season.

According to William Muldoon, chairman of the New York state athletic commission, there will be no more championship matches allowed in New York state at catch weights.

NORWICH AND SIDNEY TIE

Second Game of Money Series Called In 10th on Account of Darkness With Teams Deadlocked at 12 to 12.

—Game Loosely Played—All-Norwich Play, Tie Game With Utica K. of C. Saturday—Former Oneonta Star.

Norwich, Oct. 2.—The second game of the series between the Norwich Athletics and Sidney for a purse of \$200 proved to be the most farcical exhibition of the national pastime that has been seen in Norwich this year. The fielding on both sides was loose. The game was scheduled for 3 o'clock, but was fast settling down when at the close of the ninth inning the score was tied at 12 each. Sidney had scored two more runs in the tenth inning when the game was called on account of darkness and the score reverted to the ninth inning.

Hermann, formerly with the Oneonta team, played short for Sidney and was charged with two errors. His teammates brought the total up to six. Steffin, also a former Oneonta player, played a good game for the Athletics.

At the end of the fourth the score was 7 to 4 in favor of Norwich, but in the first of the fifth Sidney scored eight times, added one more in the seventh, and held the lead until the ninth. Norwich made three in the seventh and then evened things up in the ninth.

Only a small crowd of fans witnessed the game, although the day was ideal. Norwich won the first game of the series of three by an 11 to 3 score. What effect today's farce will have upon finishing the series remains to be seen.

The box score: AB. R. H. PO. A. E.

SIDNEY 4 2 0 7 1 1
Eaker, H. 5 1 3 2 0 0 0
Marone, 3 3 0 2 1 0 0
Hermann, ss. 4 2 3 1 2 0 0
Vandewalker, cf. 5 2 3 0 0 0 1
Skelly, lb. 5 1 2 6 1 1 1
Launt, rf. 5 0 1 4 0 0 0
Pombo, 3b. 5 1 1 2 1 1 1
Fletcher, p. 5 1 1 4 0 0 0

Totals 41 13 14 27 11 6

NORWICH 4 3 1 1 0 0 0

Fitzgerald, lf, ss. 4 2 1 8 3 0 0
Stein, ss. D. 4 2 1 8 3 0 0
Saftenberg, 1b. 6 2 2 1 2 0 0
Barnes, rf. p. 4 2 1 1 0 0 1
Washburn, 2b. 6 2 3 2 1 0 0
Hart, lb. 4 0 1 9 0 0 1
Ubbens, c. 6 0 2 3 1 0 0
Brennan, c. cf. 4 0 2 5 0 0 0
Laden, p. p. 2 1 1 0 0 0 0
Todd, p. M. 3 0 0 1 0 0 0

Totals 43 13 14 37 8 3

Score by innings: R.

Sidney 3 1 0 8 0 1 0 0 0 — 18

Norwich 1 1 1 4 2 0 0 0 1 — 13

Another Tie Game.

Norwich, Oct. 1.—The All-Norwich team battled the strong Utica K. of C. aggregation to an 8 to 8 tie on the local grounds this afternoon. The game was loosely played. Steffin and Hermann, formerly with the Oneonta Giants, played for Norwich. Hermann being especially effective with the stick. The game was called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.

The score by innings: R.

K. of C. 4 0 3 0 0 0 1 — 8

All-Norwich 2 1 2 2 0 0 0 0 — 8

ONEONTA CLAIMS TITLE

Contention of E. J. Ball Team That They Are Champions of Southern New York Disputed by Dr. F. H. Marx in Letter to Albany Paper.

Many Oneonta fans are indignant over the fact that the Endicott-Johnson baseball team has claimed the semi-pro championship of Southern New York and has challenged teams in other sections to play a series of games for the state title. Inasmuch as the Oneonta club defeated every first class team in this section and won the series with E. J., it seems to local fans that the Giants have a clear claim to the title.

The local argument is fully set forth in the following letter written by Dr. F. H. Marx, president of the Community Athletic association, to the sporting editor of the Albany Evening Journal and published in Saturday's edition of that paper.

Sporting Editor:

Dear Sir—I noticed in a recent edition of your paper an article in which the Endicott-Johnson Baseball club of Johnson City claimed they were the recognized champions of their district and from games played according to locality and from the fact they wish to play the Bonackers or the Dunn's for the New York state championship, we want to dispute their claim and dispute it strongly.

If there are any recognized champions of the particular district, the Oneonta Baseball club has that championship and we lay claim to it, as we have beaten the E. J. outfit in series, any way you want to put it, two out of three, three out of five or four out of seven.

Right here is our dope in black and white:

First game, at Johnson City, Oneonta 5, E. J. 8.

Second game, at Oneonta, Oneonta 9, E. J. 6.

Third game, at Oneonta, Oneonta 4, E. J. 3.

Fourth game, at Johnson City, Oneonta 3, E. J. 4.

Fifth game, at Oneonta, Oneonta 15, E. J. 9.

Sixth game, at Johnson City, Oneonta 10, E. J. 6.

Seventh game, at Oneonta, Oneonta 3, E. J. 4.

I think the results as given above speak for themselves, and no further comment is needed. We claim the

An American Princess



Princess Liliuokalani Kawananakoa has come from Hawaii to complete her education at an American university. She is heiress to the extensive estates of her grandmother, the late Queen Liliuokalani.

Otsego County News

SCHENEVUS CLUB MEETING.

Opening Season of Woman's Club Monday Evening This Week.

Schenevus, Oct. 2.—The opening meeting of the Schenevus Woman's Club is to be held at the home of Mrs. D. Stanley Chase on Monday evening, October 3, at 7:30 p. m. Members will please come prepared for roll call and with a quotation from their favorite poem or a current event.

Supper and Apron Sale.

The Winona Rebekah Lodge will have a supper and an apron sale on Friday evening, October 7.

New Restaurant Owner.

J. C. Wickham is the new proprietor of Bellows' restaurant and takes immediate possession.

Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Robbins have returned from Schenectady.—Miss Luey Holmyer of Brooklyn College Hospital is visiting her friend, Miss Helen Thivens for some time.—Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bernard, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bernard, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wild in Schenectady.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nixon spent last week in Gloversville.—Hilda Card spent the week-end with parents at Otego.—John Grimes sr. is much improved and started on the mail route Saturday morning. Albert Dubben has been the substitute during his illness.

MEETINGS IN OTEGO.

Home Bureau Club on Wednesday—

Ernest Workers on Tuesday.

Otego, Oct. 2.—The October meeting of the Otego Home Bureau will be held with Mrs. Charles S. Hunt, Wednesday, October 3, at 2 p. m.

Program.

Roll Call—Emergency dishes.

Topic—Menu making or meal planning, by Mrs. Douglas Little.

The Ernest workers will meet at the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon, October 4, to discuss papers.

Delaware County News

DEATH OF CHARLES DAVIDSON.

Aged Resident of Delhi Found Dead in Bed Saturday Morning.

Delhi, Oct. 2.—The community and especially near neighbors were shocked Friday morning to learn that Charles Davidson had passed away during the night, he being found dead in bed by his wife. Rousing at 11 o'clock the previous night, he was apparently in good health, and about midnight his wife had occasion to speak to him and he seemed as well as usual. He is survived by his wife and an only son, J. Howard, of Binghamton. Mr. Davidson was born in the town of Bovina 72 years ago and had always been a good citizen. Funeral arrangements have not been completed at this writing.

Men's Supper Friday Night.

On Friday evening the men and boys of the Second Presbyterian Sunday school were tendered a banquet by the Sunday school in the church parlors. Forty-eight, ranging from the ages of 10 to 16, sat down to a most delicious banquet. Following this there were some very witty and interesting after-dinner speeches by different members of the Sunday school.

CLUB MEETING IN HOBART.

Woman's Civic Club Meeting Holds Monthly Session on Tuesday.

Hobart, Oct. 2.—The Woman's Civic Club will hold its regular monthly meeting with Mrs. J. R. Stevenson Tuesday, October 4, at 8 p. m. The club is planning to make these meetings more social and light refreshments will be served. The ladies are

invited to come and bring their work and enjoy a social afternoon.

Other Hobart Matters.

Miss Orie Ruff of Stamford called on Hobart friends Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. Channing Robinson returned Sunday from a week's trip to Middletown and Springfield, Conn.—Miss Eleanor Campbell spent the week-end with relatives in Bovina.—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sheffield and family of Ridgewood, N. J., are guests at the home of O. B. Footh—Miss Elizabeth King was a guest of friends in South Kortright Saturday.

POLITICS IN DAVENPORT.

Republican Caucus Saturday Afternoon—W. Craig for Supervisor.

Davenport, Oct. 2.—The Republican electors of the town of Davenport held a well-attended caucus Saturday afternoon at Davenport Center for the purpose of naming candidates for town positions. The following are among the candidates selected:

Supervisor—Walker J. Craig.

Town Clerk—William H. Roberts.

Supl. of Highways—Laselle Craig.

Collector—Frank Hanes.

Justices of the Peace—E. B. Dayton and Robert Doig.

Assessors—R. W. Ballantine, Morton C. Heibbard, J. Willis Graf.

Other Davenport Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Taber were

guests over Sunday of Prof. and Mrs. O. J. Ives of Jefferson. About \$20

was realized at the supper of the missionary society of the M. E. church Friday evening in the church parlors.

A cup of Elvira tea is more than a mere beverage. It is a delightful

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"Dizzy? No!" Says Woman Welder



"Dizzy? No!" says Mrs. Catherine Nelson. She's 300 feet up in the air, welding a bridge span at Kingston, N.Y. She gets \$30 a day. Welding cables is her specialty.

WILL USE LETHAL GAS ON CONVICTS

Nevada Law Provides Peculiar Form of Execution for Men Convicted of Murder.

CHAMBER IN NEW PRISON

State Architect Ordered to Plan Chamber Where Witnesses in Safety May See Man Die—Some Say Method is Cruel and Barbarous.

Carson City, Nev.—In this capital city of Nevada they are building a new state penitentiary which will contain a lethal gas chamber for the execution of condemned criminals.

Under a law passed at the recent session of the state legislature all persons condemned to death in this state must be killed by the administration of lethal gas.

The laws affecting the death penalty have been out of the ordinary in this state for a number of years past. Under certain restrictions the condemned criminal has been able to choose his own method of execution. The last man to die at the hands of the state was one Mirovich, who, in the language of Gov. Emmet D. Boyle, "accepted shooting." The condemned man was seated in a chair in the prison yard with his back to a wall. A diagram was fixed upon his clothing. A company of men were engaged to shoot at the living target. All the riflemen were expert marksmen. As they entered the prison yard they were handed loaded weapons. Some of the guns contained blanks and others were loaded with steel bullet shells. No member of the firing squad knew what his rifle contained.

Death Was Instantaneous.

After the single crash of the volley that snuffed out the forfeited life it was found the figure "8" traced on his breast had been perfectly perforated by the bullets, which were found to have plunged the back of the chair on which he sat. The chair of the state's "shooting gallery" is one of the gruesome objects of curiosity which you can see in the old prison yard. The figure "8" is very accurately outlined in the wood where the bullets lodged after they sped through the human body.

Those who witnessed the execution say that death was practically instantaneous. The physicians believe that shooting is the quickest, least painful and most humane method of execution.

The new law has precipitated much discussion. There are many lawyers in Nevada who hold that a criminal may not be legally executed by lethal gas. They say it is unconstitutional because it violates the constitutional prohibition against cruel, barbarous and unusual punishment. There is sufficient weight to this contention in the minds of the members of the prison board so that they have carefully preserved the gallows for such use as may be necessary.

Gov. Emmet D. Boyle, head of the state, who signed the bill making the lethal gas execution legal, holds that it is perfectly feasible and constitutional.

"There are a number of lethal gases that may be employed," he told me. "Any will produce practically instant death. I satisfied myself thoroughly concerning this phase of the proposition before I signed the bill. I am convinced that this method of execution can be simply administered and will be effective.

Use Mechanical Methods.

"The gas will be administered by some person designated by the warden. It will be administered by mechanical methods. The execution by this method will not be painful.

"I do not think, however, it is related in any respect to the abolition of the death penalty.

"No actual steps have yet been taken to provide the facilities for the use of the law. We are not a very populous state and we have no one willing the death penalty. For this reason we are not making great haste in getting ready for executions which may not occur for many years.

The ticklish job of providing the conditions for sending a human being across the great divide by lethal gas has been assigned to the state architect. He must build a chamber in which the victim may be housed while the watchers and witnesses provided by law are present while he is put to death. As is well known in connection with the lethal gases used during the war, the slightest diffusion of these elements caused widespread havoc.

It is not possible to build a chamber which is relatively hermetically sealed, because it will not permit that the provision of the law be carried out. Neither is a glass chamber feasible. The likelihood is that the death chamber will be so built that the gases will be blown away from the necessary witnesses and watchers if any rumes should escape. Absolutely Painless.

It is anticipated the gas will be administered much as gas is administered to a patient in a dental clinic or to a person preparing for a surgical operation. In other words, it will be a form of anesthesia, and the administrator will probably be an expert anesthetist chosen from among physicians or male nurses. Those who favor this method of dealing death declare it is absolutely painless. Most of the advocates of the measure believe that the condemned criminal should be given a sleeping potion in his food and that the lethal gas should be administered in the subsequent slumber. The claim that no gas can

WON FORTUNE FOR A TRIFLE



INTERNATIONAL

Capt. Alban Jones, H. N., resigned, won \$60,000 (\$269,100) on a \$2.75 ticket of the Calcutta Sweepstakes on this year's English Derby. Captain Jones, who is assistant marine superintendent of the Union Castle Line, had never before placed a penny on any horse. He declares he will not give up his present post in spite of winning the large fortune.

be administered without awakening the sleeper is disputed.

World-wide interest has already focused upon the state with its vast area and its small population on account of this extraordinary death penalty. Students of prison reform are divided concerning the humanity of the measure. Its application will be watched with exceptional interest by scientific organizations and colleges.

Many have asked to be kept advised concerning the developments in the premises. It is probable that the first victim of judicial vengeance under this act will die in the presence of a very distinguished gallery. Physicians and students of physiology and toxicology will come from all parts of the continent if they are permitted to be present.

There is little likelihood, however, that Nevada will permit the execution to become a public show. Executions are not popular in Nevada. There is a very active sentiment against carrying out the death penalty. Since the state was admitted to the Union only six men have been condemned to death, and of these only two were allowed to be executed.—Arnold Kruckman in New York World.

IOWA WAGES WAR ON RATS

Campaign, Which Lasts Six Weeks, Results in Extermination of 1,500,000 of These Pests.

Des Moines, Ia.—Aroused by the army of rats that overrun the state, Iowa recently ended a crusade to rid the country of some of these pests. War on the rodents was declared when it was announced that they cost the farmers of Iowa, at a conservative estimate, \$60,000,000, annually. They destroy about \$20,000,000 worth of poultry and \$40,000,000 in grain yearly.

Great interest was aroused and the campaign was made a big success by the fact that real prizes were offered for the champion rat killers in the state. When once started, the original fund was supplemented by county farm bureaus, civic organizations, and business firms until it was swelled to \$10,000.

The county fund, established by the county bureaus, was for the local county winners, and the state prize for state winners. Thousands of Iowans enlisted in the crusade, and at the end of the contest, which lasted six weeks, Iowa had killed 1,500,000 rodents.

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STRENGTH OF WAR BONDS IS FEATURE

Week's Demand for Liberty and Victory Issues Evidence That Liquidation Has Run Course

New York, Oct. 2.—The strength of federal war issues and the acute depression of exchanges on Germany and most of the new Central European countries constituted the noteworthy, if somewhat conflicting, developments of the past week in the financial markets.

On enormous transactions and almost without exception, Liberty bonds and Victory notes registered gains of 2 to 5 per cent, the latter rising to within a fraction of par. While the demand for these issues was generally ascribed to the recent lowering of rediscount rates by Federal Reserve banks, it was also accepted as evidence that the country-wide liquidation of the last 18 months had run its course.

On the other hand, the slump in marks is figure under eight-tenths of a cent, with corresponding or greater demoralization in the quoted values of Austrian, Polish and Czechoslovakian remittances heightening apprehension regarding Germany's ability to meet further obligations to the Allies.

In the stock market, rails were the only stable issues, increased traffic and smaller operating costs being seen in the many additional statements of August earnings. The plan of the Interstate Commerce Commission to merge the railroads into distinct groups met with little endorsement among railway executives.

Industrial and special stocks traced the lines of least resistance, their irregular movements often reflecting the mixed views of professional interests. Traders again confined their operations chiefly to oils, steels and equipments, the result being inconclusive.

General business conditions showed further signs of improvement, ascribed for the most part to seasonal requirements. Activity was especially marked in the cotton, woolen and leather industries, there being no material increase of production in manufactured steel and iron.

The higher ratio of reserves reported by the federal reserve board is regarded by bankers as a strong indication of easier money in the fourth quarter of the year. Interior banks at present are drawing on local reserves for crop moving purposes, but predictions are made that 60 and 90 day commercial loans soon will be made on a 5 per cent basis.

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NAVAL READY TO COMB SEA

All Warships Require Is Proof of the Presence of Pirates on the Atlantic.

Washington.—Officials in Washington are considering plans for an ocean-wide campaign in search of the "mystery ships" which have been reported within the last week.

Although the Navy department has taken no official notice in connection with theories that a "pirate" ship is marauding along the Atlantic coast it was learned that plans are under consideration for a drive upon the sea to exterminate the buccaneers, if it is definitely established that the recorded "mystery" ships are pirate vessels.

Secretary Denby stated that thus far no naval vessel has sighted the strange vessel, which has been reported by commercial mariners, but indicated that the Navy department is giving the closest consideration to the reports which have been made by Captains Giles of the steamship Munro, and others who have sighted the phantom ship.

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WHO MOST NEED WOOD?

Who needs the forests? Frank Blumley of Long Lake, grows gray on the trails of the Adirondack wilderness, tells Director E. S. Pierce of the New York State College of Forestry that "won city sports need forests more than we do."

That statement is probably true.

The city man as a rule lives in a big wood house or a house that contains large quantities of wood. The woodsman lives in a small structure. Fuel is a vital factor in city life, especially the business activities of the city. Every ton of coal mined represents the use of tons of wood. The woodsman does not have to depend on fuel to such a large degree.

The city man would be lost without newspapers. The woodsman would not suffer so much, he has other diversions and the administration of newspaper and magazine circulation is not essential to his business.

The per capita consumption of wood in New York is about 600 board feet annually. The woodsman uses very little of that. An average of 125 pounds of pulp for each person in New York per annum appears in New York's pulp account. The woodsman is a small user of pulp. The city man finds the shade trees, and the cooling breezes of the woods essential to his health.

A large majority of city folks go into the woods at least once every year for a vacation. The woodsman is in the open most of the time and does not require such recreation. Without the trees covered breathing places and the park playgrounds the fate of city children would be tragic.

The city as a general rule obtains its water supply from wooded areas and that supply would be irregular and less portable without the forests. The woodsman also has the best of the water supply problem because he usually lives within reach of a lake, stream or spring and the source of a stream flows after the bed of the stream is dry. It is undoubtedly true that the man who never sees the forests—and they are thousands to one—needs it far more than the man who lives beneath its shade. "City folks," says Director Pierce, "save your forests."

FOR LEGISLATIVE HONORS.

Out of the 150 members of the New York state assembly, no less than 111 are seeking to return this fall. Eighty-nine of the number are Republicans and 22 are Democrats. With the last day for declinations having passed, nominations filed with Secretary of State John J. Lyons reveal that Miss Marguerite L. Smith of New York, at present a member of the assembly, is the only representative of her sex on the Republican ticket so far as the assembly is concerned. The Democrats have nominated two women for that assembly and the socialist eight.

Two senators will be elected in this state next month, general election day falling on November 8. A successor will be chosen for Martha G. McCue of New York, long a familiar figure in the assembly, but who was elected to the senate a year ago, and John E. Mullan of Rochester, who came to the senate in 1915. Misses McCue and Mullan both resigned at the close of the session.

Four members have resigned from the assembly during the year, on was unseated, and one died. With the approach of registration and election, there has been a heavy demand for the political calendar issued by Secretary Lyons.

THE SEVEN AMENDMENTS

Propositions on Which Electors in New York State May Vote at the November Election.

Seven amendments to the constitution will appear on the ballots in the general election on November 8th. Instructions from the secretary of state along with the various amendments that are to be submitted have been received by the commissioners of election. The amendments follow:

1. That preference in employment and promotion in civil service be given to veterans of the Spanish and World wars.

2. That the salaries of members of the legislature be increased from \$1500 to \$1600.

3. That after January 1st, all voters except for physical disability shall be able to read and write English in order to be entitled to vote.

4. That the legislature may establish a governing body in the counties of Westchester and Nassau, in place of a board of supervisors, also to transfer functions of town officers to county officers.

5. That the legislature may establish children's courts and courts of domestic relations.

6. That the legislature shall lease, sell or dispose of the old Erie canal between Rome and Mohawk.

7. That the legislature shall lease or dispose of the old Erie canal from the county of Herkimer between the village and Mohawk to the county lines of the counties of Herkimer and Oneida.

Are You Less Wise Than a Hen?

When the worms are scarce, what does a hen do? Does she stop scratching? She does not. She scratches all the harder. A lot of business men have been showing less sense than a hen since orders have become scarce. They have laid off salesmen; they have stopped or reduced their advertising; they have simply resigned themselves to inaction and, of course, to pessimism. If a hen knows enough to scratch all the harder when the worms are scarce, surely business men, who are supposed to possess a moderate amount of brains, ought to have gumption enough to scratch all the harder for business. —[Forbes Magazine.]

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

The Unemployment Conference.

To really solve the unemployment problem the conference now in session must find a way to prevent inflation of values beyond a due measure, so there will not be the inevitable swing back into depression thereafter.

It means putting business on the level in more ways than one. It means curbing over production and discouraging under production. A workable system or method that will achieve that result is going to require some thought and some brains evolve. —[Eureka Star-Gazette.]

Enforcement Badly Needed.

It is time for all friends of prohibition to realize that the fight for enforcement is not won and will not be so long as timid politicians trim about the question, and supposedly good citizens exult in violating the law. It is high time that the moral sentiment of this state and nation made itself felt in enforcing prohibition as it did when it secured the ratification of the constitutional amendment by all except three states. —[Jamestown Post.]

Indiana Folk Reject Income Tax.

In Indiana a proposed constitutional amendment to permit the levying of an income tax has been overwhelming defeated by the people. In New York state when the legislature needs more money it thinks out a new form of taxation and proceeds to apply it. The people have no say about it. However, it seems to be generally agreed the income tax is as fair as any that could be imposed. It reaches a lot of persons who previously contributed little or nothing toward the support of the state government. —[Newburgh News.]

The Cost of Government.

The average American family of five was receiving the benefits of national government for \$33 a year before the war. The cost is now \$144.80. In Great Britain the price went from \$102 to \$548.90, in France from \$123.80 to \$632.30. The Italian family before the war had a government charge against it of \$70.70. It is now required to pay \$642.65. The ratio of increase in national debts in these four countries was nearly 1,000 per cent. In military expenditures about 350 per cent for other governmental expenses more than 700 per cent. —[Toledo Blade.]

Tammany Scared.

Evidently Tammany is scared out of its boots. The harmony and strength of the coalitions, the revolt in Tammany, the disclosures of the practices in the dock department and police department, the accumulating evidence of maladministration, corruption and disorganization, the growing evident general public dissatisfaction and disgust, are clothing the Tammany sages with gooseflesh, nagging their nerves and stirring the choler. —[New York Times.]

What Seems Feasible.

Senator Harrison's resolution demanding publicity for the proceedings of the Washington conference may hardly be rated as born of friendliness to the conference or to see the Harding administration prone to the lessons of Mr. Wilson's adventure, but it is not necessarily to be condemned on this account. It is not possible to have to a perfect degree "open covenants openly arrived at" it seems feasible to prevent the repetition of three great blunders of Paris—secret sessions, loose records and political censorship. —[New York Tribune.]

GRAND AND TRIAL JURORS

Drawn at Cooperstown on Saturday to Serve as a Trial Term of the Supreme Court Commencing Oct. 17.

At Cooperstown on Saturday the following panels of grand and trial jurors were drawn in the presence of County Clerk Smith, Under Sheriff Converse and Justices Vandeverker and Carpenter to serve a trial term of the supreme court which opens at the county seat on Monday, Oct. 17th.

Grand Jurors.

Butternuts—John Halbert, Frank Walker, Cherry Valley—Harvey Steenburg, John C. Walton, Hartwick—Clifford Brown, Henry Goodrich, Middlefield—Frank Green, Milford—Harley Dennis, Custer Harrison, Fred Martindale, Morris—Galen Bell, A. D. Ford, William E. Allen, New Lisbon—Roy Gilbert, Oneonta—Samuel Dunham, Charles Lent, Otego—James Wait, Pittsfield—Elihu Chapin, Richfield—Claude Newkirk, Wallace Stark, Westford—Theodore Knapp, Arthur B. Stillwell, Worcester—Edward Turk, George Payne.

Trial Jurors.

Burlington—Smith Shepard, Hens Lasher, Butternuts—Trunc Halbert, William Jakes, Cherry Valley—Smith Barritt, Howard E. Sheppard, W. C. Dives, N. H. Wykoff, Hartwick—Raymond Fish, Fred Diefenbach, Holdridge, Laurens—L. G. Robinson, Stewart C. Millard, Middlefield—Edward Griffin, Robert Brown, Sylvester Hoose, Fred Quackenbush, Mohawk—Byron Lawrence, Oneonta—George R. Packer, Dewitt Van Bumble, Benjamin Dalton, Harry Shepard.

Otego—Dewitt Delong, James Allen, M. E. Augur, W. H. Michaux, Joseph Birdsall, Pittsfield—Charles W. Matteson, Plainfield—Barton Rogers, Richfield—Arthur Risley, Hoosick—Ornano Dutcher, Charles Daily, Unadilla—L. H. Rider, Eugene McCumber, Cecil Wade, Westford—Frank Weldon.

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When Persia Meets Paris



CITY GARDENING UNPOPULAR

Experience of Buffalo "Garden League" Reveals That War-Time Spirit Has Died Out

Buffalo, Oct. 3.—Many a dream of a country home with its garden plot has been shattered by the experiences of amateur gardeners in this city during the last three or four years, in the opinion of officers of the Garden League, who have served notice on the board of supervisors that the organization will cease its activities after the present season.

The Garden League was a product of the war. It secured land, ploughed and harrowed it and turned it over to city residents eager to help in the production of food. The movement was popular during the war and an effort was made to continue it in peace time.

But enthusiasm waned. Fighting weeds and using the hoe and rake asidiously do not fit into the scheme of things in city life, the league figures show. This year only 160 garden plots were assigned to 118 persons as compared with 450 gardens to 334 persons last year, a decrease of 67 per cent. So the officers decided that the league was no longer justified in asking the county for money for expenses and its unexpended balance, supplies and tools have been turned back to the county purchasing agent.

Fire in Rubbish Heap.

The combination truck was called out shortly after 6 o'clock Saturday evening to extinguish a fire which had broken out in the dump heap on Clark street, opposite the Clinton block. Someone had evidently dumped hot coals on the pile of brush and rubbish and a brisk fire was the result. The blaze broke out again shortly after the firemen had left and it was necessary for them to make a return trip and to thoroughly drench the pile.

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LOCAL MENTION

October.
Heaven haloed summer now is dead,
And in the scented wood, she held
so dear.
Autumn makes carnival in flaming red
Over his rich legacy. October's
here.

Pierre Shields.

The supper given at the Main Street Baptist church on Saturday evening by the ladies of the C and D division was liberally patronized, about \$50 being realized.

There was large attendance and liberal patronage at the clam chowder supper Saturday evening at the Lutheran church. The net receipts was between \$75 and \$80.

The second of the Dental clinics for school children of the city was held at the Community house Saturday afternoon. Dr. L. S. Delamater and Miss Ruth Belyea were present and examined the teeth of many children as well as doing some filling and extracting.

The chestnut crop is reported as being excellent this season. The absence of frost has allowed the chestnuts fully to ripen and as a result they are of unusual size and quality. Many people took advantage of the fine weather yesterday to roam the hills in quest of nuts and many large bags were reported.

A reception to Normal and High school students was given at the First Baptist church parlors on Saturday evening by the Christian Endeavor society of that church. There was a good attendance of members and guests and the evening was pleasantly spent with games and singing, and there were also delicious light refreshments served by the society.

Meetings Today.
Regular communication Oneonta Lodge, No. 466, F. & A. M., this evening at 8 o'clock. Master Mason degree will be conferred.

The regular meeting of Oneonta Lodge No. 1548, will be held at the I. O. O. F. hall Monday night, October 3.

Bible Study class, group four, will meet tonight at 7:30 with Mrs. Blanchard, 7 Normal avenue.

There will be a meeting of Troop 2, Boy Scouts, this evening at 7:15 o'clock at Scout headquarters.

Regular meeting of B. R. C. in Trainmen's hall, tonight at 8 o'clock. Full attendance.

The officers of the company, G. Athletic association will hold a business meeting in the armory at 7:30 tonight.

Meeting Tuesday.
The regular meeting of E. D. Farmer post, G. A. R. will be in their rooms in the Goldthwaite block, 204 Main street, tomorrow afternoon at 7:30 o'clock.

Regular rehearsal of Company G band this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

O. N. S. on Basketball Court.

According to present indications, the Oneonta Normal school will be well represented on the basketball court this season. As noted in Saturday's issue, the boys' team, which has in its line-up several young men who are attending the Normal department, has already got together and will hold frequent practices this week. It is planned to arrange some fast games with vicinity teams. Last season, it will be recalled, the Normal boys made an excellent record.

It is planned also to have a girls' team on the court this year. A few members of last year's team are still at the Normal, and with available new material, a capable quintet of course, artists should be the outcome.

Attend Football Game.

Among the Oneontans present at the Hamilton-Williams football game at Clinton Saturday afternoon were Miss Virginia Morris, Miss Edith Eggleston, Miss Marjorie Wheeler, Miss Katharine Wheeler, Dr. Morton E. Brownell, Dr. Ray D. Chapman, Harold S. Smith and Nathan Pendleton. The game, which was hard fought throughout, resulted in a 14 to 9 victory for Williams. Hamilton then were not dissatisfied with the result, however. Williams has a much heavier and more experienced team and last season overwhelmingly defeated the Clinton outfit. Hamilton's showing is the more remarkable when it is noted that Coach Berry did not use his regular lineup, saving his stars for the later games.

Woman's Club.

The Travelers' class will meet today at 2:15 o'clock. Subject, "The Near East."

The French class will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Yesterday Was Rally Day.

The ladies of the October and January divisions of the First Presbyterian church will hold a rummage sale at the Salvation Army, rooms October 20 and 21. Anyone having clothing or other articles to donate, please notify Mrs. George C. Cranfill, 7 Elm street, or Mrs. Alva Seybold, 18 Elm street. Advt. 11

C. Norbert Kuekelen, a competent and up to date dancing instructor has been secured to open a class in Dreamland hall Wednesday evening, October 6. The class for beginners will open at 8 p. m. and be continued for ten weeks, teaching all modern dances from the highest one, where they will take up more advanced Bible study.

For Sale—Six room cottage, bath, electric lights, furnace, all improvements, nearly new, paved street, close business section. Price \$3,500. Four acre country farm, one-quarter mile from railroad station, stores, school, one-half acre berries, lots of trout, level land; good buildings, 237 feet, 90 rods. Price \$2,500. Campbell Bros. Advt. 21

Beginning Wednesday evening, Oct. 5, regular dances will be held on Wednesday evenings at Dreamland hall. Advt. 31

B. R. C. will hold its regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in Trainmen's hall. Regular business, followed by initiation. Advt. 11

Ina Sweet, practical housekeeper, at the Windsor, Oneonta, Nov. 1, Eagle, Norwich, Nov. 2. Advt. 11

Apples for Sale—100 barrels very
choice Schoharie county apples, 32
River street. Advt. 21

KILLED NEAR AFTON

Bert Vrooman of Otego killed and Companion Injured When Automobile Crashes Through Fence and Falls Thirty Feet to Railroad Tracks—Exact Cause of Accident Not Known.

Bert Vrooman of Otego was killed and a companion, whose name could not be ascertained, last evening, but who resides in Binghamton, was injured, although not seriously, when a Dodge roadster in which they were riding crashed through a fence on the state road about half way between Afton and Bainbridge at 5:45 o'clock last evening, and plunged 30 feet down the bank onto the railroad tracks, which are close to the road at that point. Vrooman was thrown out of the car and struck on his head on a railroad tie, cracking his skull. Dr. Hayes of Afton was at once summoned but he could do nothing for the man, who died about half an hour after the accident. His companion, who refused to disclose his name, was severely bruised and suffered from shock but no bones were broken and there were no indications of internal injury. The evening train was flagged near the scene of the accident and he was taken to his home in Binghamton.

It could not be learned just how the accident occurred but one theory is that Vrooman, who was driving the car, which was going in the direction of Bainbridge, turned out to pass another automobile going in the same direction and that as he swung out into the middle of the road he saw another car coming in the opposite direction and turned back again, probably cutting too short. The car was said to have been going at a high rate of speed and Vrooman probably lost control as he turned sharply to the side of the road to avoid hitting the approaching automobile. The car tore out a considerable section of the fence and struck upside down on the tracks. The car was completely demolished.

Detailed information concerning Vrooman and his family could not be ascertained last evening. He is thought to have been employed at Rootville, near Gilbertsville, although his home is in the town of Otego. His father and a sister, Mrs. Grover Root, reside at Sand Hill and he has a brother, Arthur Vrooman, and a sister, Mrs. Briscoe, living near Otego.

The body was taken to Gates' Undertaking parlor in Afton. Further details concerning the accident and its unfortunate victim will appear in tomorrow's Star.

KEETON'S BAND GIVE CONCERT

For Entertainment of Patients at County Tuberculosis Sanitarium.

Yesterday afternoon Keeton's band motored to Mt. Vision and gave an hour and a half's concert for the enjoyment of the patients at the County Tuberculosis sanitarium, and not only they and the attendants keenly enjoyed the choice music which the bandmen rendered but scores of visitors from the nearby villages and farms about the vicinity were equally well entertained. Director James Keeton Jr. had arranged a fine program and 21 members of the band gave their best efforts in the rendition of the various numbers, all of which were applauded. The men comprising the band are to be commended highly for their generosity in contributing to the pleasure of the patients, whose routine and strict rules afford little variation of the monotony.

After the concert Dr. Winsor, the superintendent, voiced the appreciation of the management and of the patients and then invited the music band inside where lunch was served to them. Miss Sweeney and her assistants did all they could for the enjoyment of the event and all visitors were more than pleased with the provision the county is making to aid the patients there.

In addition to giving their services several members of the band drove their own cars. Those donating the use of cars in addition to bandmen included Hon. Charles Smith, E. W. Ehniere, I. S. Dauley and Alva Seybold. Miss Short and Miss Posten were in attendance as was also Mrs. H. W. Lee of the committee on entertainment of the county tuberculosis committee.

DIES OF DIPHTHERIA.

Charles H. Williams, Son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Williams, the Victim.

Charles Reed Williams, only son of Charles M. and Belle Pierce Williams of North Franklin, but formerly of East Sidney, died at the family home on Saturday of diphtheria after a short illness. The funeral services, which will be private, will be held from the home on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Burial will be in the Williams plot at East Sidney.

The lad was born February 28, 1915, and the family looked forward to his perpetuating the Williams family and are heartbroken at his death. Besides the parents two sisters, Pauline and Dorris, survive him. The sympathy of many friends of the family will be extended.

Yesterday Was Rally Day.

There was a large attendance at the annual Rally Day services of the Sunday school at the Main Street Baptist church yesterday. The program of songs and recitations printed in Saturday's Star was admirably rendered, following which came the promotions from lower to higher divisions of the Sunday school and the awarding of certificates. There are six divisions in the Sunday school, each division composed of children about the same age. A goodly number of students graduated from each division into the next higher one, where they will take up more advanced Bible study.

For Sale—Six room cottage, bath, electric lights, furnace, all improvements, nearly new, paved street, close business section. Price \$3,500. Four acre country farm, one-quarter mile from railroad station, stores, school, one-half acre berries, lots of trout, level land; good buildings, 237 feet, 90 rods. Price \$2,500. Campbell Bros. Advt. 21

Harley Davidson Motorcycle.

1921 model, run about 100 miles, for sale at a bargain. Also a couple of Indian sidecar outfit. Motorcycle garage, 334 Main street. Advt. 11

For Sale—One Winchester 22 special. Inquire at Windsor hotel. Advt. 11

Desirable furnished rooms for rent at 213 Main street. Phone 40-J. Advt. 31

Dishwasher Wanted—At the Daily lunch, Broad street. Advt. 11

Apples—100 barrels very
choice Schoharie county apples, 32
River street. Advt. 21

THE PANACEA FOR OUR ILLS.

Jesus Christ and His Teachings Will Accepted Will Bring Peace and Rest to Troubled Souls and Troubled Nations, Declares Bishop Berry.

"Jesus Christ, the Panacea for Human Ills," was the theme of the thought inciting and comforting sermon delivered to a large congregation at the First Methodist church last evening by Bishop J. F. Berry, the fourth of the series he is giving at that church. Increased interest is evidenced, both morning and evening services being attended by the filled over available seats at the meeting and the learned divine rendering close and interested attention from all hearers. Last evening Mrs. Annie Ward sang solo number appropriate to the evening theme.

Bishop Berry founded his remarks last night upon the words from Matthew, "Come unto me all ye that toil and are burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly of heart; and ye shall find rest unto your souls. For My yoke is easy and My burden light."

The speaker cited the condition of the world when the Messiah came and said that it was a great day for humanity. He alluded to the unrest that prevails today and expressed regret if there be any today who are not thoughtful and studies for the means of relieving this unrest.

The world is unspeakably troubled, he declared, and there are many things about which we question and wonder why this or that is so. "I want to know" is the natural attitude of man, he declared. The world is full of mysteries and while we give what we assume is some definition yet who can explain the great mystery of light, of heat, of gravity and of electricity?

Scant as is our knowledge of things in the material world, we are equally at sea in the spiritual realms. We know that the destiny of the soul, why evil exists, or as one writer puts it, "Why does not God kill the devil?"

The providences of God are past finding out. Why does the wicked man, guilty of all sorts of crimes against himself, society and God, appears to prosper while the devoted consecrated soul is required to endure all sorts of physical suffering for years?

Honest doubt is not to be condemned but the unbelief of former days is passing and all are accepting the Bible and its teachings. The more the world studies the teachings of the Master today is the acceptance of the Master and the adoption of His teachings as the rule and guide of life. Faith in Him will give rest to the troubled heart. It will not remove disappointments and trials, but it will give the peace which enables one to rise above the trifling things of this life and to grasp the truths of the Kingdom. Those who trust in Christ and rely upon Him, putting their life in tune with the Infinite, will find solution of the problems of life, now pressing so hard for solution.

At the morning service he gave the audience composed more especially of regular attendants, one of the best sermons to which that congregation ever listened. His text was "Oh, that I knew where I might find Him!"

Bishop Berry will remain until Saturday, speaking each evening at 7:30 o'clock. The invitations to the services is all-embracing and all will be welcome.

At the morning service, the autumnal communion, with reception of new members, was observed.

That rich old aunt of Hubby's comes to luncheon tomorrow. You must keep the money in the family. Warm her heart with dainties flavored with Baker's extracts. Advt. 6

For Sale—Light horse, just right for children's school horse; also three young Holsteins. T. C. Reynolds, Oneonta, or W. W. Devoe, Morris. Advt. 31

BUYS BUSINESS AT SARATOGA.

Bookhout & Kark Acquire W. M. Martin Co. Long Established Concern.

Bookhout & Kark, the well known local undertaking firm, has purchased the long established undertaking business of W. M. Martin Co. at Saratoga Springs, taking possession October 1. Mr. Kark is "already" in Saratoga Springs and will have personal charge of the business in that city. His family will remove there to reside as soon as a suitable house can be found. The business there will be conducted under the old name which is well established and enjoys a liberal patronage.

Mr. Kark has established an enviable reputation here as an undertaker and his abilities will no doubt be at once recognized in his new field.

The business here will be conducted under the firm name as before and will be under the personal direction of Mr. Bookhout and that it will continue to thrive is beyond question. That the enlarged sphere of activity will prove profitable alike to both members of the firm will be the wish of many friends.

Rally Day at First Baptist.

Sunday was rally day in the First Baptist Sunday school. There was a large attendance, there being 400 pupils of the Sunday school present at the exercises. A Cradle Roll class was graduated to the primary department and two classes from the primary to the intermediate. An appropriate program was given, including addresses of welcome by the children of the departments to the new comers, and an interesting bible drill in questions and answers, by Mrs. Eugene Fisk, superintendent of the Primary department, and the two graduating classes from that department.

Much interest in the Rally Day exercises was taken, not only by the pupils and teachers, but by all in attendance.

President of Teachers' Club.

Mrs. Elizabeth Tarbox, daughter of Du and Mrs. O. C. Tarbox, of this city and a graduate of

Long Island's Blue Ribbon Baby



Is Mrs. Anna McNamara proud of her two-year-old daughter Nancy? Wouldn't you be proud if your child had been awarded the blue ribbon and the prettiest and healthiest baby in a contest where hundreds were entered? Nancy did. The judging was a feature of the Mineola, L. I., fair.

MARRIAGES.

Hinman-Stanford.

Frank W. R. Hinman and Sylvia Isabel Stanford were united in marriage by Rev. Dr. B. M. Johns at 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Stanford, 58 Elm street. Because of a recent death in the immediate family of Mr. Stanford, the wedding was very quiet, only relatives and intimate friends of the family being present. The bride and groom were unattached. After the ceremony and wedding luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Hinman left for a short wedding trip, following which they will reside in Oneonta.

The groom is a son of Mrs. F. W. R. Hinman of Jacksonville, Florida. His father was the late F. W. R. Hinman, for many years president of the Southern Newspaper Association and manager of the Jacksonville Times-Union. He is resident manager of the Oneonta hotel and is a young man whose courteous demeanor and many qualities have made him a host of friends.

The bride is the younger daughter of H. M. Stanford, proprietor of the Oneonta hotel, and Miss Stanford is a young lady of much charm, who has likewise made many friends during her residence in Oneonta.

Seneca-Sowing.

Ludwig Sencaovich and Anna Sowing, both of this city, were married at 9 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Mary's Roman Catholic church, the Rev. Father W. J. Noonan officiating. After their return from the wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Sencaovich will reside on Depew street.

Junior Workers at Morris Fair.

A feature of much interest in connection with the fair at Morris will be the exhibit of Junior work, for which a schedule has been prepared showing what each worker is to do. Among the various exhibits and demonstrations are the following:

Wednesday—Milk testing and stock judging demonstrations, judging of poultry and sewing demonstrations.

Thursday—Milk testing, horse scoring and sewing club demonstrations, and at 12:30 a parade of project workers, teachers, leaders and superintendents.

There will be baby judging by the Morris Baby Scoring club, assisted by doctors and nurses, on both days; also exhibits of the Dr. Morris potato, corn and oat contests, writing contests, and calf, pig, sheep, poultry and rabbit club, as well as agricultural exhibits.

Seasoned slab wood, \$3.00 per cord. Phone 16-F24 or 25-J. Advt. ff

DEATH AT LEONTA.

Mrs. Virgil Ogden Expires Thursday After Long and Painful Illness.

Franklin, Oct. 2.—Ella J. Shellman, wife of the late Virgil Ogden, died Thursday, Sept. 29, at the home of her son, James Ogden, in Leonta, with whom she resided. Death was caused by cancer from which she had been a great sufferer for the past three years. The funeral was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home, Rev. Harlow Parsons, pastor of the Franklin Baptist church, officiating. Burial was in the Oneonta Valley cemetery.

Mrs. Ogden was born in Davenport 66 years ago and was a daughter of Thomas and Maria Shellman. She was married to Mr. Ogden in 1875 and her home had ever since been in Franklin, where by her kindness and uniform courtesy she had made many friends. She was a member of the Franklin Baptist church, of the Order of the Eastern Star, and of the W. C. T. U. She is survived by five children—Lavera Ogden of Syracuse, Tracy of New York, Merton of Burlington, Vt., Mrs. Anna VanDyke of Oneonta and James Ogden, with whom she resided. Besides eight grandchildren, she is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Ida Fuller of Meridian and Mrs. Viola Parry of Oneonta, and one brother, G. W. Shellman, of Oneonta.

DIL M. C. WRIGHT MARRIED.

Bride is Miss Janet L. Stevens—Both Esteemed Residents of Mt. Vision.

Mt. Vision, October 2.—Dil M. C. Wright and Miss Jane L. Stevens, both of this village, were married Saturday morning, October 1, at Christ church, Cooperstown, by the rector, Rev. Miles Lowell Yates. Following the ceremony they departed by auto for Chateaugay lake in the Adirondacks. After spending two weeks at the Banner house at that place, they will be at home at the Wright residence in Mt. Vision.

The bride, who is a graduate of the Oneonta Normal school, and for several years has been a valued member of the faculty of the River street school in Oneonta, spending her vacations at her home here. The groom, who like the bride, has been a lifelong resident of the Otego valley is a leading physician of Otsego county. Both have a warm place in the hearts of the people of Mt. Vision, who with those in Oneonta and wherever Dr. and Mrs. Wright are known, will wish them a long and happy voyage through life.

Flue Job Printing at Herald Office.

DELBERT D. DECKER DEAD

Succumbs to Injuries Sustained on Elmmons State Road Three Weeks Ago—Funeral Tuesday at 1 o'clock From Late Home, 39 Gilbert Street. Delbert D. Decker, of 39 Gilbert street, who was seriously injured when hit by a motorcycle on the Elmmons road near the Morgan farm on Friday, Sept. 3, and who since had been an inmate of the Elm Memorial hospital, died at that institution Sunday morning at 2 o'clock from complications following his injuries. The funeral services will be held on Tuesday, at 1 p.m., from his late home, and will be conducted by Rev. N. R. Jard, of the West End Baptist church, of which the deceased was an attendant. Internment will be in the Plains cemetery.

Mr. Decker was born in the town of Milford, April 5, 1882, the son of Henry Decker. His early life was passed there and in nearby towns of Delaware county until his marriage to Blanche L. Price of Milford township on November 8, 1903. After their marriage they resided in Laurens and Milford and later, about five years ago, they came to Oneonta and since have resided here. He followed the business of cattle buying and was well known all about this section, and many will learn with regret of the sad termination of his injuries.

Surviving him are the wife and three children, Percy G., Irene Ada, and George W. Decker, all residing at home. He leaves also two brothers, Wellington Decker of Scotts Central, Pa., and J. Decker of Johnson City. Henry Decker of Laurens and Sidney and Frank Decker, both of Hobart, also one sister, Mrs. N. M. Howland, of Otego.

DEATH OF GARRETT ANDERSON.

Long Time Resident Passes Away Saturday at Home of Son.

Garrett W. Anderson, since 1866 a resident of Oneonta, passed away at the home of his son, Homer P. Anderson, at 5 East street, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock after a short illness though he had been in failing health for years. He returned only about a week since from a four weeks' visit with friends in New York city and vicinity. The funeral services will be held from the residence of the son, where he had made his home for the past six years, on Tuesday at 2 p.m. Rev. Dr. E. J. Parley of the First Baptist church will officiate and interment will be made in the family plot at the Plains cemetery by the side of his wife.

Mr. Anderson was born at Kespert, N. J., June 15, 1838, a son of Thorne and Mary (Walling) Anderson. When a boy he removed with his parents to the Anderson farm at North Franklin where he resided until his marriage in 1866 to Lucy Parish. In that year he settled in Oneonta and for years was employed in the D. & H. yards here. Later and for a few years he was engaged with the department of public works of the city and more recently had returned to the employ of the D. & H. Mrs. Anderson died 13 years ago.

Surviving the deceased are four sons: Carson Anderson, residing at the corner of Center and East streets; Homer P., with whom he resided; Milo of Richfield Springs, and Arthur of Cooperstown Junction. He leaves also two sisters, Mrs. Carrie Bates and Mrs. Julia Anderson, both residing at 11 Columbia street. Mr. Anderson was an attendant of the First Baptist church and enjoyed the respect of all who knew him.

DEATHS.

Mrs. Fannie E. Knapp.

Mrs. Fannie E. Knapp died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ray Chappell, 222 Main street, at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon following an illness of but a few days duration. Mrs. Knapp had been enjoying excellent health up to last Friday evening when she was suddenly taken ill. Her condition was not regarded as being serious, however, and her death yesterday afternoon came as a shock.

Mrs. Knapp, who was a daughter of John and Rosanna Lake Hinsinger, was born in 1854 at Greenfield. She was married in 1871 to John Knapp, who died in 1914. Mrs. Knapp had lived in Oneonta for the past 49 years with the exception of two years spent with a son in Everett, Washington. She returned to the city a year ago and since that time had been resided with her daughter, Mrs. Chappell. She is survived by the daughter mentioned, a son, Wildard Knapp of Everett, Washington, a brother, George Hinsinger, also of Everett, and a grandson, Lowell Chappell of this city.

The funeral services will be held at the home of her daughter, 222 Main street, on Tuesday at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. C. Johnson of the Elm Park Methodist church will officiate and interment will be in the family plot at the Plains cemetery.

Mrs. Knapp was a devout Christian and a woman whose many admirable qualities had endeared her to a wide circle of friends, by whom her loss will be greatly regretted and who will freely extend their sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

Prospect Garage.

Open day and night. Work guaranteed. M. L. Bonhoffer, prop.

Laurens dancing class. Large class tonight at Liberty hall at 9 o'clock. You can't afford to miss learning the new dances. Advt. ff

The Joyce stores, Undilla, N. Y., are having a special sale—One-half price on blankets. The store is open evenings. Advt. ff

Wanted at once—first-class silk winder. Apply to Supt. of Quality Silk Mills, 6 Hickory street. Advt. ff

Enlist in the army of enthusiasts who swear by Kipnocket. Advt. ff

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Williams' Kidney and Liver Pills
Have you overworked your nervous system
and caused trouble from overeating and
overeating? Have you pains in loins, side and
back? Have you a flabby appearance
of the face and under the eyes? If so,
Williams' Kidney and Liver Pills
For sale by all Druggists. Price 60 cents.
Williams' MFG. CO., Freeport, Oneonta,
For sale by Marsh, The Druggist.

Personal

Mrs. Lucie W. Moon of 24½ Broad street spent Saturday with friends in Undilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Constable are guests of the former's parents in Walton for a few days.

Mrs. George Turner of 9 Mayley avenue was the guest Saturday of friends in Binghamton.

Mrs. Mary Gregory and Miss Julia Miller of this city were in Binghamton Saturday, on business.

Mrs. S. Roberts of East Meredith is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George E. Moore, 2 Watling Boulevard.

Mrs. M. F. Howland of this city spent Sunday with the latter's sister, Mrs. D. Hawley in Milford.

Mrs. Marion Kerwin of 79 Main street left Saturday for a week's visit at her former home in Oswego.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Brown and daughter, Marion, of this city were week-end visitors in Binghamton.

Mrs. J. H. Gifford has returned

from a visit with her niece, Mr. Marvin N. Stewart, who resides in Albany.

Albert V. Morris and Damon L. Getman, students at Hamilton college, spent the week-end at their homes in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eustice and Oliver, 11th of 21 Gilbert street are spending a week with relatives in Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Genter of Schenectady spent the week-end with the former's brother, A. J. Genter, 19 Central avenue.

Miss Mary Broadwell of Endicott,

who had been visiting Mrs. F. C. Tohey of Oneonta, Plains, returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. Stanton

passed last week at Atlantic City, N. J., he being on his vacation from his duties at the Citizens' National bank.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Rose of Sidney

were in Oneonta yesterday, on their way to Milford, where they were

guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barnard.

Mrs. A. G. Pope and Mrs. D. C. Shippy of New Berlin, who for the past ten days had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Len, returned home Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Cardodge of Bainbridge, who had been spending a few days with friends at Springfield Center, was in Oneonta Saturday, on her way home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Griffin of 11 Gardner place left Saturday morning for a two weeks' absence which will be passed at Kingston and at East Orange, N. J.

Mrs. Alice Stevens of Johnson City, who had been a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. L. Dimmick of 17 Church street for the past two weeks, returned home last evening.

Mrs. A. S. Lull of this city, accompanied by her daughters, Miss Mabel Lull and Miss Annie Lull, of the public schools at Schenectady and Gloversville, spent Saturday in Binghamton.

E. H. Lubbers of Baldwin, L. I., who had for a day or two been staying in Oneonta, left yesterday on a business trip to Albany and Schenectady, returning later in the week to New York.

Mrs. W. D. Bush of this city departed Sunday morning for a visit with relatives in Seymour and New Haven, Conn. Later she will be joined by Mr. Bush for a brief sojourn in New York city.

Mrs. Adelia B. Folson of Binghamton, who was in Oneonta Saturday on official business as assistant inspector of the Woman's Relief corps, was the guest while in this city of Mrs. J. R. Peters on Nomad avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilder and Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Weston motored Sunday to Big Moose in the Adirondacks for a few days' outing at that resort. The trip was made in Mr. Wilder's new Cadillac touring car.

Mrs. Dorothy Rowe leaves this morning for a few days' visit with relatives in New York city. Later in the week she goes to Washington, D. C. and will enter the National Park seminary at Forest Glen, Md., as a student.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Collier of Albany were the weekend guests of Major and Mrs. A. E. Cennerly. Mr. Collier, who was formerly a local architect, now occupies a responsible position in the state architect's office at Albany.

Mrs. Giechen Heupel of LaPorte, Ind., who had been a guest of the Misses Pearl and Gussie Lawson in this city, left for home Sunday afternoon. Accompanied by the Misses Lawson, she had spent last week in New York city.

Merrill Ekeland, who had been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Young of 14 Seventh street, left yesterday morning for his home in Kalamazoo, Mich. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Young as far as Binghamton.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dimmick and daughters, Maybelle and Ruth, of Wilkes Barre, Pa., and Theron Dimmick of Unadilla, that state, motored to Oneonta Saturday and spent the weekend with Mrs. A. L. Dimmick on Church street.

Miss Helena Shields of the State Treasurer's office, who had been spending the vacation period at her home in Oneonta, returned yesterday to Albany, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. H. Shields, who will remain with her for a few days.

Mrs. David H. Mills is visiting her relatives, Mr. and Mrs. John O. Reed, of Norwich, for a few days, going later to Rome, where she will be a guest of Mrs. Bruce Griffin. Mr. and Mrs. Reed were in Oneonta yesterday and Mrs. Mills accompanied them home.

Uton, and Mrs. George W. Fairchild returned Saturday evening from New York city, accompanied by Andrew R. Jennings, European manager for the C. T. R. company, who lately arrived from London and will be a guest at the Fairchild residence for a few days.

Mrs. Elinice Sexton, who lately

completed a three years' course as student nurse in leading child and maternity institutions in New York, and at the Fordham hospital in that city, returned home Saturday and is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sexton on Third street.

Frank O. Rollins of Central avenue

is suffering from an attack of pneumonia and is under the care of Dr.

G. H. Brinkman, who does not consider the patient in a critical condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bartlett of Undilla are in the city that Mrs. Bartlett may be near and assist her sister, Mrs. Rollins, if needed.

Among those from Oneonta who will attend the annual meeting of the State Historical association at Fort William Henry hotel at Lake George are Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Headstreet, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Briggs, Dr. and

REORGANIZER OF GERMANY

Mrs. Lucy W. Moon of 24½ Broad street spent Saturday with friends in Undilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Constable are

guests of the former's parents in Walton for a few days.

Mrs. George Turner of 9 Mayley

avenue was the guest Saturday of friends in Binghamton.

Mrs. Mary Gregory and Miss Julia

Miller of this city were in Binghamton Saturday, on business.

Mrs. S. Roberts of East Meredith is

visiting her daughter, Mrs. George E.

Moore, 2 Watling Boulevard.

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De Valera's Mother



Latest posed photo of Mrs. Charles E. Wheelwright, mother of Eamon De Valera. She lives in Rochester, N. Y. De Valera, by his acceptance of the British peace conference offer, caused great jubilation in Ireland.

CARICATURIST IN ONEONTA

Walt McDougal, Well-Known Artist of New York World and Albany Times-Union Pictures Oneonta and Her Citizens With Pen and Pencil.

Walt McDougal, well-known caricaturist, was in Oneonta during fair week, taking in the sights of the big show and also interviewing many of our leading citizens. His impressions, illustrated by more or less life-like pictures of leading citizens, appear in the Times-Union of Saturday, and are herewith reprinted as being interesting if not in every respect exact:

Oneonta is a city of, say, 10,000 population with its feet in the present, its face to the future and no past to speak of or bother about. Almost without any exceptions the men responsible for its prosperity and progress are still living and extremely active, most of them being what John D. would call young fellows. Scarcely any of them have arrived at the cane carrying age. And these men have created a city that is already beautiful in spots, attractive all over and exceeding promising.

Oneonta, which was once called "Kipnockie" in the almost-remote eighties, when people used to buy clothes to match their dandruff and rode in horse-drawn buggies, is what is termed "snappy" town by commercial men. The great hotel which appears around the corner at the head of the street as you get off the train, the equal of any in the Big City down the river with its lofty foyer and dazzling lights and it is said that the management makes it a rule that its desk clerks must be as good-looking as the proprietor, H. M. Stanford.

The imposing and famous Normal school, the public library and its beautiful environment are chief among the things that at once impress the visitor and make the city attractive. Neathwa park, the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis R. Morris, now in the creative stage, will be an invaluably precious addition to the city's charms when completed. Two monuments now in the park are notable, one indicating the site of the log house of the first settler and the other commemorating General Sullivan's punitive expedition against the Iroquois Indians in 1779. Another relic, right on Main street, is an old spring house, once on the Ford plot, a picturesque object which it is to be hoped will long be preserved. The oldest house in town is on the corner of Main and Grove streets, once the home of the celebrated Doctor Lindsey and now owned by Clinton VanWort, the oldest Elk in the county. It is known to have occupied this corner since 1806. Its claim to antiquity is hotly contested by the Pond Lily hotel outside of the present city limits.

There is an amazing number of automobiles in Oneonta. It has been estimated by a competent authority that there is one car to every three inhabitants and to judge from a queer light that shines in the eyes of Thomas Willman when an automobile is mentioned, there will soon be another one purchased. Automobile dealers will take notice and look up his address. He is one of the old citizens who retired from business 35 years ago and has heretofore walked, but admits that he prefers riding in a gas buggy. He told me that he once went fishing and caught a two-pound fish but never went again.

The best looking man is the postmaster, C. J. Beans, and one might say the best dressed, as well but Clark McCrum, who keeps a cradle in the National society of Christian Endeavor.

While in New York last week, Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild attended the dinner given by the Sulgrave Institute of which Mr. Fairchild is a member, to former Ambassador and Lady Lever, of Great Britain. The dinner, which was one of the most important social events of the season, was held Thursday evening at the Palmerton hotel. Mr. Fairchild was one of the hosts of the evening.

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VOLGA TOWNS IN HUNGER DESPAIR

People Sit Silent in the Streets Awaiting Death to End Their Sufferings.

PICTURES OF GRIM MISERY

Docks and Railroad Stations Piled High With Belongings of Refugees Driven From Their Land by Drought and Grasshoppers.

Syzran, Russia.—There was a time when Syzran was the most colorful city along the Volga, but that time is gone. Today it is crowded with dust-begrimed peasants, who group themselves into gray masses in their search for food.

There was a time when the air was filled with a perfect babel of tongues—the languages of the Kalmyks, Mongols, Tartars, Chinese and Russians—but the crowds that throng the streets of the city at present are mute. Even the laughter of children has been silenced in the despair that has settled over these tens of thousands, who sit, crossing themselves, and wait for what seems to be the inevitable.

Pictures of Grim Misery.

Pictures of misery seen here are duplicated in Samara, Saratoff, Saratoff, Tsaritsin, and every other city in the famine-stricken valley of the Volga. Docks and railroad stations are piled high with the belongings of the refugees, who were driven from their land by the drought and the clouds of grasshoppers that destroyed even the meager grain that had defied the heat of the terrible summer now drawing to a tragic close. Committees are trying to move the refugees to other points where there is some promise of food, but it is necessary to use the limited river and railroad transportation facilities to send seed grain into the country and to bring bread into the famine districts.

Many professional beggars of the gypsy type are to be found here and in other large centers in southern Russia, but the starving farmers ask no alms and utter no cry. They stand silent and await their fate with the stoicism pictured so graphically and truthfully by Tolstoy and Dostoevsky.

Self Rings and Clothing.

Markets have sprung up mushroom-like here and there about the refugee camps, offering for sale vegetables, bread, flour and meat. They are surrounded by hungry people, who have no money to offer, but who exchange wedding rings, fur coats, caps, kettles, pans, boots and other small possessions. They know the Russian winter is coming, and that it will find them without shelter and clothing, but they are obliged to give up the necessities of the future to meet the demands of the present.

Large peasant families arrive in a state of exhaustion, their carts being dragged by camels and starved horses. There is no hay or grain here, and there is slight prospect that the animals can be kept alive until spring.

In the carts are samovars, talking machines, sewing machines, which are battered for food or for coffins. The dead lie unnoticed for hours, while near them are pitiful groups boiling a few potatoes and onions with which to keep alive. Some markets are under armed guard, but this appears to be unnecessary, as the peasants are too weak and passive to take violent measures.

Typhus Claiming Victims.

Great crowds attempt to cling to the few trains that leave here daily, and soldiers often pull some of the refugees from the cars, frequently separating families, some members of which have managed to secrete themselves between the cars.

Typhus has appeared in many places and the hospital superintendent at Samara said the other day that the only way to handle the situation was to segregate those who have been stricken. They receive rations when food is available, but there is no soap.

Five hundred sick children were found grouped in one building in Samara. Some of them were seen eating leaves from shrubs, while others were lying about on dirty beds, more dead than alive. Most of these children were so ashen and emaciated that they resembled old men and women.

Germans Among Sufferers.

Many once prosperous German families from Mariupol and other German centers are among the refugees at Samara and are living in filth and poverty in crowded dock sheds or have no shelter at all. Several Germans told the correspondent they had relatives in Siberia and were trying to reach Omsk, but they had exhausted their money and could not get permission to migrate eastward.

Miss Anna Haines of Philadelphia, a worker for the Friends' relief organization, is in Samara and recently said the mortality among children less than three years old is very high and that nearly 80 per cent are already dead. She told of four persons dying on a station platform in Samara the other night while they were waiting to be transferred to some other town. Others were lying about and were so helpless that it was difficult to distinguish between the living and the dead.

Easily Obtained.

"When gossips give currency to a rumor where do they get the currency?" inquires a columnist. By drawing on their imaginations, of course. —Boston Transcript.

To Remove Varnish.

To remove old varnish from floors, soak the varnish with wood alcohol, after which it may easily be removed.

PRESIDENT HARDING IN REAL "FOUR-GALLON" HAT



President Harding, wearing a real cowboy's "four-gallon" hat, presented by a committee from Wyoming inviting him to attend the Frontier Days exposition at Cheyenne. The hat is finished with a solid silver band on which is engraved: "Wyoming extends greeting to President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding with the cordial invitation to be its guests at Cheyenne Frontier Days, July 28, 29, 30, 1921, when the days and the cowboy sports of the old West are revived."

Prize Awards.

Among the more important prizes awarded were the following:

Best dairy cow—1st, Henry Jergensen; 2nd, H. Wood.

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Best heifer calf—1st, Roscoe Wright, 2nd, Harold Sisson.

Sewing class A—1st, Vernice Wood.

Sewing class B—1st, Dagnay Talkensen; 2nd, Beulah Carvin.

Bread making—1st, Vernice Wood.

Poultry, class A—1st, Beulah Sisson; 2nd, Virgil Lowe.

Poultry, class B—1st, Luther DeForest.

Calf Raising—1st, Roscoe Wright; 2nd, Harold Sisson.

Potato project, 100 hills—1st, John Jones; 2nd, Charles Jones.

Potato project, 1/4 acre—1st, Laverne DeForest; 2nd, Vernice Wood.

Garden, class A—1st, Laverne DeForest; 2nd, Vernice Wood.

Garden, class B—1st, Anna Fuller; 2nd, Mary Hendrick.

HOLD COMMUNITY FAIR

Successful School and Community Event at Rogers Hollow in Which Four Districts of Unadilla Participate.

Rain, which interfered with the other field sports at the annual school and community fair held at the Friends church at Rogers Hollow in the town of Unadilla on Friday last, did not prevent the greased pig event, it being held that the moisture would not render the porker less liable to evade his pursuers, which proved to be the case. The pig was donated by J. W. VanCott & Son, Inc., of Unadilla.

The affair was attended by practically everybody in the community save a few aged invalids and proved a successful fair. School districts Nos. 2, 10, 11 and 13 participated. Following the arrangement of the exhibits and other preliminaries in the morning, a picnic dinner was served at noon, with an abundance of good things to eat passed freely to all comers, all gathered within the church auditorium, where addresses were given by Supt. John E. Frederick upon Schools, by Miss Anna V. Short upon Health, and H. M. Bowen of the Farm Bureau upon Cow Testing Associations. Following the latter address, a committee, consisting of Caleb Bedford, David Fisk, Lester Curvin, T. Talskens and Charles Faubanks, was appointed to form a Cow Testing association for the community.

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